

RQ-2

Deann Bjornson, Treasurer North Dakota Republican Party 1029 N. 5th Street P.O. BOX 1917 Bismarck, ND 58501

FEB 2 6 2003

Identification Number:

C00018929

Reference:

Amended July Quarterly Report (5/23/02-6/30/02), received 2/5/03

Dear Ms. Bjornson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule C of your report discloses a loan incurred on 10/13/2000 of \$45,000 from BNC National Bank with a cumulative payment to date of \$3675.01 and a differing outstanding balance of \$46,325.99. However, Commission records indicate that this loan was paid off on your Amended 12 Day Pre-Primary Report. Please amend your report to clarify these discrepancies.

A response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Alissa Sagri

Aline V. Sagai

Campaign Finance Analyst Reports Analysis Division